

## **USDA – FOREST SERVICE**

George Washington & Jefferson National Forests  
James River and Warm Springs Ranger Districts

### **LOWER COWPASTURE RESTORATION PROJECT PUBLIC FIELD TOUR**

The USDA Forest Service will host a public field tour of the proposed 100,000 acre Lower Cowpasture Restoration Project on Tuesday, April 22, beginning at 10:00 a.m. We will meet at the intersection of Douthat Road (State Route 629) and State Route 39 in Bath County, Virginia. We will discuss specific silvicultural techniques and harvest methods in a subset of proposed harvest units. We will hike off-road and off-trail across a variety of terrains and for an unknown mileage. This tour will last most of the day (up to six hours). Remember to pack a lunch and wear appropriate footwear. This is the fourth in a series of field tours scheduled for 2013-2014 to discuss the Lower Cowpasture Restoration Project.

Please register for the field tour by contacting Michael Williams at (540) 265-5173 or [mrwilliams04@fs.fed.us](mailto:mrwilliams04@fs.fed.us).

In the event of inclement weather, this field tour may be rescheduled. Contact the James River Ranger District at (540) 962-2214 for tour status. For additional information on the Lower Cowpasture Restoration Project contact the James River Ranger District or Warm Springs Ranger District at (540) 839-2521.